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The Rural Electrification Administration today announced allotments totaling \$1,007,000 for 21 projects in 14 States. This brings allotments made by REA since it was established in 1935 to \$202,802,330, of which \$113,171,020 represents operations during the current fiscal year.

Details of the allotments are attached.

ARKANSAS 15 WOODRUFF

Woodruff Electric Cooperative Corp.,
Augusta, Arkansas
(Fay S. Elzey, Supt.)

\$316,000 to build about 355 miles of line to serve 1,300 members in Woodruff, Prairie, Cross, St. Francis, Monroe, Lee and Philips Counties. The project previously has been allotted \$188,000 to build 191 miles of line to serve 902 members in Woodruff County.

INDIANA 8 WABASH

Wabash County REMC
Wabash, Indiana
(G. Gordon Downey, Supt.)

\$35,000 to build about 34 miles of line to serve 112 members in Wabash and Miami Counties. The project previously has been allotted \$388,000 to build 380 miles of line to serve 1,314 members in the above mentioned and Grant, Kosciusko and Huntington Counties.

INDIANA 14 SHELBY

Shelby County Rural Electric
Membership Corp.,
Shelbyville, Indiana
(Albert Hall, Mgr.)

\$60,000 to build about 24 miles of line to serve 83 members in Shelby and Hancock Counties. The project previously has been allotted \$443,000 to build 409 miles of line to serve 1,235 members in the above mentioned and Marion, Johnson, Decatur, Bartholomew and Rush Counties.

LOUISIANA 12 FRANKLIN

Northeast Louisiana Power
Cooperative, Inc.,
Winnsboro, Louisiana
(H. B. Landis, Pres.)

\$116,000 to build about 136 miles of line to serve 393 members in Franklin and Richland Counties.

MICHIGAN 26 INGHAM

Tri-County Electric Cooperative, Inc.,
Portland, Michigan
(Dolph Wolf, Supt.)

\$100,000 to build about 95 miles of line to serve 324 members in Isabella, Gratiot, Clare and Montcalm Counties. The project previously has been allotted \$1,470,000 to build 1,280 miles of line to serve 5,735 members in the above mentioned and Ingham, Ionia, Eaton, Calhoun, Branch, Kalamazoo, St. Joseph, Jackson, Barry, Mecosta, Shiawassee, Livingston, Clinton and Washtenaw Counties, \$275,000 for the construction of a generating plant, and \$18,000 to finance house wiring and plumbing installations.

MISSOURI 43 LACLEDE

Laclede Electric Cooperative,
Lebanon, Missouri
(Hugh Corry, Pres.)

\$158,000 to build about 152 miles of line to serve 461 members in Laclede, Dallas, Pulaski, Camden and Wright Counties.

NEVADA 4 CLARK

Overton Power District No. 5,
Overton, Nevada
(W. H. Lyon, Supt.)

\$30,000 to complete the project and to defray certain expenses connected with the initial operations of the project which cannot be covered by the construction loan. The project previously has been allotted \$168,000 to build 102 miles of line to serve 350 members in Clark County, Nevada, and Mohave County, Arizona, and \$5,000 to finance house wiring and plumbing installations.

NEW MEXICO 4 EDDY

Central Valley Electric
Membership Corp.,
Artesia, New Mexico
(R. E. Coleman, Supt.)

\$24,000; to be added to \$125,000 previously allotted for building a generating plant, and the entire \$149,000 to be used to construct 75 additional miles of line, most of it three-phase, to serve 272 signed members in Chavez and Eddy Counties, of whom 122 want residential and farm service, 103 want power for irrigation pumps, and 47 both residential and irrigation service. Previous allotments to the cooperative total \$135,000 for line construction and \$28,000 to finance members wiring and water-system installations. When the cooperative started developing its project it was unable to make satisfactory arrangements for wholesale power, and funds were allotted for a generating plant. Since satisfactory arrangements have now been made for an energy supply, the money is available for extending lines into other areas.

WISCONSIN 46 LAFAYETTE

Lafayette Electric Cooperative,
Argyle, Wisconsin
(Edward J. Paska, Supt.)

\$42,000 to build about 39 miles of line to serve 98 members in Lafayette and Green Counties. The project previously has been allotted \$251,000 to build 241 miles of line to serve 674 members in Lafayette County, and \$5,000 to finance house wiring and plumbing installations.

(FOR WIRING)

The following allotments have been made to finance house-wiring and plumbing installations, to be re-lent by the borrowers to their individual members:

ALABAMA 23 PIKE

South Alabama Electric
Membership Corp.,
Troy, Alabama
(James H. Schuessler, Supt.)

\$5,000. The project previously has been allotted \$841,350 to build 935 miles of line to serve 3,188 members in Pike, Barbour, Covington, Crenshaw, Coffee and Bullock Counties.

ALABAMA 26 BARBOUR

Pea River Electric Membership
Corp.,
Clayton, Alabama
(Arthur B. Robertson, Supt.)

\$10,000. The project previously has been allotted \$374,000 to build 210 miles of line to serve 1,367 members in Barbour, Henry and Dale Counties.

ILLINOIS 34 JACKSON

The Egyptian Electric Cooperative
Association, Inc.,
Murphysboro, Illinois
(Theodora Keuker, Ava, Ill.,
Correspondent)

\$10,000. The project previously has been allotted \$424,000 to build 402 miles of line to serve 1,447 members in Jackson, Randolph, St. Clair, Washington, Perry and Williamson Counties.

KENTUCKY 51 HARDIN

Nolin Rural Electric Cooperative
Corp.,
Elizabethtown, Kentucky
(Frank L. Hagan, Supt.)

\$10,000. The project previously has been allotted \$328,000 to build 290 miles of line to serve 812 members in Hardin and LaRue Counties.

MINNESOTA 1 KANABEC

P.I.C.K. Cooperative Electric Ass'n,
Braham, Minnesota
(Beauford Johnson, Supt.)

\$10,000. The project previously has been allotted \$357,000 to build 332 miles of line to serve 969 members in Kanabec, Isanti, Mille Lacs, Benton, Chisago, Pine and Sherburne Counties, and \$15,000 for wiring.

MINNESOTA 62 WRIGHT

Wright-Hennepin Cooperative
Electric Association,
Maple Lake, Minnesota
(Edward R. Slebiska, Supt.)

\$5,000. The project previously has been allotted \$369,000 to build 348 miles of line to serve 1,020 members in Wright and Hennepin Counties, and \$10,000 for wiring.

NEBRASKA 65 WAYNE

Wayne County Rural Public Power
District,
Wayne, Nebraska
(Henry W. Noeding, Supt.)

\$10,000. The project previously has been allotted \$197,000 to build 158 miles of line to serve 386 members in Wayne, Thurston, Cedar, Dixon and Cuming Counties.

TEXAS 41 PANOLA

Panola-Harrison Electric
Cooperative, Inc.,
Elysian Fields, Texas
(T. E. Stephenson, Supt.)

\$10,000. The project previously has been allotted \$174,000 to build 187 miles of line to serve 673 members in Panola and Harrison Counties, Texas, and Caddo and De Soto Parishes, Louisiana.

TEXAS 47 DEAF SMITH

Deaf Smith County Electric
Cooperative, Inc.,
Hereford, Texas
(Henry V. Hennen, Supt.)

\$21,000. The project previously has been allotted \$254,000 to build 211 miles of line to serve 367 members in Deaf Smith and Castro Counties, and \$45,485 for wiring.

TEXAS 62 BAILEY

Bailey County Electric
Cooperative Association,
Muleshoe, Texas
(Cecil W. McLaury, Supt.)

\$20,000. The project previously has been allotted \$178,000 to build 249 miles of line to serve 550 members in Bailey, Cochran, Castro, Lamb and Farmer Counties.

TEXAS 64 SAN AUGUSTINE

Deep East Texas Electric
Cooperative, Inc.,
San Augustine, Texas
(D. N. Beasley, Supt.)

\$10,000. The project previously has been allotted \$347,000 to build 393 miles of line to serve 1,260 members in San Augustine, Sabine, Shelby and Nacogdoches Counties, and \$15,000 for wiring.

TEXAS 72 LAMAR

Lamar County Electric
Cooperative Association,
Paris, Texas
(Ural L. Darling, Supt.)

\$5,000. The project previously has been allotted \$415,000 to build 454 miles of line to serve 1,273 members in Lamar, Delta and Red River Counties.